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ABC Suspends License of the Parlare Euro Lounge in Sacramento

Indefinite suspension for business operated as a 'Disorderly House'

(**Sacramento**) – Less than a week after two people were injured following a shooting inside the business, the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) today suspended the alcoholic beverage license of the Parlare Euro Lounge in downtown Sacramento. Effective immediately, the business is indefinitely prohibited from selling or serving alcoholic beverages. Additionally, the license must be transferred to another qualified person or entity.

Today's suspension is the result of a several-month investigation conducted by the ABC and the Sacramento Police Department focusing on disorderly activities occurring at the business. In addition to the recent shooting, from November of 2016 through August of 2017, police were required to respond and take action at the business numerous times for incidents such as fights, assaults, public drunkenness and disturbing the peace. The business has a history of disciplinary action, including a suspension for similar activity in 2012.

If the license has not been transferred to a qualified person or entity within one year, it may be permanently revoked.

ABC protects communities through excellence in education and by administering prevention and enforcement programs designed to increase compliance with California's alcoholic beverage laws. Visit https://www.abc.ca.gov/programs/programs PE.html to learn more about ABC enforcement and prevention programs that can help increase compliance and public safety. ABC is a Department of the Business, Consumer Services and Housing Agency.